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EASLEY APPOINTS MEMBERS TO BOARD OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

RALEIGH – Gov. Mike Easley appointed 10 members to the North Carolina Board of Science and Technology.

Easley appointed Leslie M. Alexandre of Raleigh, president and chief executive officer of the North Carolina Biotechnology Center; Molly Corbett Broad of Chapel Hill, president of the University of North Carolina System; Marye Anne Fox of Raleigh, chancellor of North Carolina State University, H. Martin Lancaster of Raleigh, president of the North Carolina Community College System; Ernest Mario of Wilmington, chairman and chief executive officer IntraBiotics Pharmaceuticals, Inc.; Bill Muse of Greenville, chancellor of East Carolina University; James C. Moeser of Chapel Hill, chancellor of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; James C. Renick of Greensboro, chancellor and professor of political science at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University; David P. Rizzo of Charlotte, chairman and chief executive officer of Osprey Systems, Inc.; and Paul J. Rizzo of Chapel Hill, chairman of the board of directors and partner at Franklin Street Partners, Inc. Governor Easley will serve as the board's chair.

The Board of Science and Technology identifies and supports research needs of public and private agencies, institutions and organizations in the State. The board makes recommendations to the Secretary of Commerce concerning policies, procedures, organizational structures and financial requirements that will promote effective use of scientific and technological resources to support economic developmentment in the state. The board has 17 members and the Governor appoints 15 members. Each member serves a four-year term. The Governor and the Secretary of Commerce both serve as ex-officio members.

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